TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE



FISCAL MEMORANDUM

HB 2257 - SB 2538

March 26, 2014

SUMMARY OF ORIGINAL BILL: Requires hospitals to report claims data monthly to the Commissioner of the Department of Health. This act shall take effect upon becoming law.

FISCAL IMPACT OF ORIGINAL BILL:

Increase State Expenditures - \$4,300/One-Time \$85,800/Recurring

IMPACT TO COMMERCE OF ORIGINAL BILL:

NOT SIGNIFICANT

SUMMARY OF AMENDMENT (014541): Deletes all language after the enacting clause. Creates the Autism Spectrum Disorder Task Force. The task force will have 16 members. Specifies duties of the task force. Only legislative members will be entitled to compensation and expense reimbursement. The task force will submit any findings and recommendations for potential legislation by January 15, 2015 and every January 15 thereafter until January 15, 2017 at which time the task force will cease to exist.

FISCAL IMPACT OF BILL WITH PROPOSED AMENDMENT:

Increase State Expenditures - \$1,300/Each One-Day Meeting

Assumption for the bill as amended:

• Travel and per diem expenses for four legislative members of \$1,310 per meeting [4 members x (\$188 per diem + \$139.59 mileage for each member)].

IMPACT TO COMMERCE WITH PROPOSED AMENDMENT:

NOT SIGNIFICANT

Assumption for the bill as amended:

• No impact to commerce or jobs in the state.

CERTIFICATION:

The information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

Lucian D. Geise, Executive Director

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